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BEFORE THE IDAHO PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION)	
OF IDAHO POWER COMPANY FOR)	CASE NO. IPC-E-13-10
AUTHORITY TO IMPLEMENT POWER)	
COST ADJUSTMENT (PCA) RATES FOR)	AMENDED COMMENTS OF
ELECTRIC SERVICE FROM JUNE 1, 2013)	THE COMMISSION STAFF
THROUGH MAY 31, 2014.)	

The Staff of the Idaho Public Utilities Commission amends its comments to correct the record in light of information received from the Company on Friday, May 24, 2013. Specifically, on the afternoon of Friday, May 24, 2013, Idaho Power advised Staff that the Company did not mail out all its customer notices by Wednesday, May 22, 2013, which is contrary to what is stated in the Application and in Staff's comments.

In summary, on Friday Idaho Power advised Commission Staff that Idaho Power's billing vendor ran short of customer notices on May 22, 2013 so certain bills were mailed without the PCA insert. The Company advised Staff that it printed additional notices and used a local vendor to send those notices out on Friday, May 24, 2013 by direct mail to 2,234 customers who had not received the PCA insert in their bill. This newly received information changes the Customer Notice and Press Release section of Staff's initial Comments. While Staff initially commented that the Company's notice complied with Rule 25, Staff's current view is that the notice contains the information required by Rule 25, but that the Company did not fully comply with Rule 125.03's notice distribution requirements, which state: "The customer notices ... may

be mailed to customers as bill stuffers over the course of a billing cycle or may be contained in additional comment pages to the customers' monthly bill").

Respectfully submitted this 28th day of May 2013.

Karl T. Klein

Deputy Attorney General

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT I HAVE THIS 28TH DAY OF MAY 2013, SERVED THE FOREGOING **AMENDED COMMENTS OF THE COMMISSION STAFF**, IN CASE NO. IPC-E-13-10, BY EMAILING AND MAILING A COPY THEREOF, POSTAGE PREPAID, TO THE FOLLOWING:

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